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SUBJECT: POULTRY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING, SEPTEMBER 7

REF: (A) EC BRUSSELS 8727 (B) PARIS 25763

1. A PERMDEL SOURCE WITH WHOM WE WORK CLOSELY TELEPHONED HIS MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE TO GET THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTION OF WHAT TRANSPIRED IN THE SUBJECT MEETING.

2. THE GOF REPRESENTATIVE INDEED ASKED FOR REDUCTIONS IN TURKEY GATE PRICES AND LEVIES, AND MADE THE REQUEST IN THE CONTEXT OF THE POULTRY/COGNAC PROBLEM. THE REQUEST WAS REJECTED BY OTHER MEMBER STATE REPRESENTATIVES BECAUSE IT WAS NOT SUBSTANTIATED IN THE USUAL FASHION BY DOCUMENTATION AND ALSO BECAUSE IT WAS FELT THE FRENCH WERE IN A SENSE IMPOSING A SOLUTION OF THEIR PROBLEM ON THE COMMITTEE. THE CONSENSUS WAS ALSO THAT THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE IS NOT THE APPROPRIATE FORUM FOR A PURELY POLITICALLY SENSITIVE ACTION OF THIS KIND NOT JUSTIFIED TECHNICALLY IN THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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USUAL FASHION. THE MATTER WAS THEN TAKEN OVER BY THE

COMMISSION, WHICH EXPLAINS RABOT'S COMMENT IN PARAGRAPH 2
OF REFERENCE A.

3. OUR SOURCE HYPOTHESIZED THAT THE COMMISSION WOULD
PROBABLY WRITE UP THE FRENCH REQUEST IN THE FORM OF A
PROPOSAL TO BE SUBMITTED EITHER AT ANOTHER MANAGEMENT
COMMITTEE MEETING FOR A MORE DETAILED EXAMINATION OR TO
A MEETING OF THE SPECIAL AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE FOR CON-
SIDERATION AND, POSSIBLY, ACTION BY THE EC COUNCIL OF
AG MINISTERS. HINTON

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